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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR KS TH

SUBJECT: NARONG KITTIKACHORN PRESENCE IN KOREA

REF: SEOUL 10062 NOTAL

1. ROK PRESS, CITING "INFORMED SOURCES," REPORTED JANUARY 9 THAT ROKG WILL NOT GRANT POLITICAL ASYLUM TO COL. NARONG KITTIKACHORN, WHO NOW IN KOREA. ACCORDING TO THE SOURCES, NARONG WILL BE PERMITTED TO STAY IN KOREA UNTIL HIS TOURIST VISA EXPIRES ON JANUARY 25 BUT WILL BE PERSUADED TO LEAVE AT THAT TIME. THE SOURCES DENIED THAT NARONG HAD ASKED FOR POLITICAL ASYLUM OR AN EXTENSION OF HIS STAY.

2. PRESS ALSO REPORTED THAT NARONG'S WIFE HAS JOINED HER HUSBAND. ACCORDING TO PRESS, THE COUPLE'S FOUR CHILDREN REMAININ TAIPEI.  
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## Message Attributes

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